

**Kingdom of Heaven:
Parable of the Wheat and the Weeds
Matthew 13:24-43 (CSB)**

Is the world getting *better* or *worse*?

The world is getting **better and worse** up until Christ returns.

- 1. God knows the enemy's game plan.** (Matthew 13:27-28, 38 CSB; John 16:33 CSB; Ephesians 6:12 CSB)

- 2. Trust God's long-term plan that is already in play.**
(Matthew 13:28-30 CSB)

Our political position has *no bearing* on ***our spiritual power***.
(Matthew 13:39, 41 CSB)

- a. God's ***justice*** may feel ***delayed***, but it is not ***denied***.
(2 Peter 3:8-9 CSB)